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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION  
WITH REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated September 13, 2001, having a three month term for reply.

**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

It is respectfully requested that the period for reply to the September 13, 2001 Office Action be extended three months, i.e., to up to and including March 13, 2002. A check for \$920.00 is enclosed in payment of the fee therefor. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additionally required fee for the extension, or any other fee occasioned by this paper, or credit any overpayment in such fees, to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.

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